

## LANSING CLEANERS LANSING, ILLINOIS

**Lansing Cleaners of Lansing, Illinois** is a dry cleaner which works on both general garments and fire restoration of general public garments. To meet many of its commitments, the facility has upgraded several elements of its operation, including the trucks, the dry cleaning machines and the refrigeration process.

### ENVIRONMENTAL PERFORMANCE

#### *Past Accomplishments*

Lansing Cleaners has demonstrated its commitment to environmental performance through reduced hazardous solid waste and emissions of NO<sub>x</sub>. Since 1998, the facility has:

- **Reduced hazardous solid waste** by 33% by updating equipment and the materials used.
- **Reduced emissions of NO<sub>x</sub>** by 193.2 gallons by switching from gasoline fueled to four CNG fueled stepvans.

#### *Future Commitments*

Lansing Cleaners is working to reduce total energy use, emissions of NO<sub>x</sub>, hazardous solid waste, and hazardous material use. By 2003, the facility will:

- **Reduce total energy use** 8% by updating to newer equipment.
- **Reduce emissions of NO<sub>x</sub>** 28% by replacing two gasoline fueled stepvans with two new CNG fueled stepvans.
- **Reduce hazardous solid waste** by 46% through the replacement of one PERC dry cleaning machine.
- **Reduce hazardous material use** 39% by replacing one PERC dry cleaning machine.

### COMMUNITY OUTREACH

#### **AT A GLANCE:**

Industry Sector:	SIC 7216
Business:	Dry cleaner
Facility Employees:	50-99
Accomplishments:	Reduced hazardous solid waste Reduced emissions of NO <sub>x</sub>
Commitments:	Reduce total energy use Reduce emissions of NO <sub>x</sub> Reduce hazardous solid waste Reduce hazardous material use
Address:	18210 Torrence Avenue Lansing, Illinois 60428

Lansing Cleaners uses several methods to inform the public and these include articles in trade journals and on the radio, and even on their new CNG stepvans. Members from Lansing Cleaners also talk in area schools and community groups, as well as holding open houses at the facility. The Annual Performance Report will be made available through the newspaper, in trade journals and in their open house.